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WILL MEET FEDERALS NOW APPROACHING JUAREZ

sult in Surrender of Town Without Fight

Times Leased Wire.)

El Paso, Texas, Feb. 7.—Abandoning marching to the relief of Juarez from the enterprise.

Under the terms of the by-law which

less-victory.

Secure in this belief that there will surveys, etc.
be no fighting at Juarez for some days at least, most of the inhabitants derstand the status of the project and the American frontier, are to-day re- tention of the water commissioner, the turning to their homes and celebrat- following clauses from the by-law are ing with much drinking their escape quoted: from hombardment. The city of Juarez however, is still under martial law.

Awaits Reinforcements. Huehuca, Ariz, Feb. 7.-A decisive Huehuca, Ariz, Feb. 7.—A decisive rebel victory at Juarez would be the signal for the secession of the state of the water shall be kept clean and healthful, and shall make, or cause to signal for the secession of the state of Sonora, according to advices received here to-day from border towns where, in anticipation of such an event, provisional officials are said to be preparing to cross the border into Sonora and with Sonora in their possession and a temporary capital established at waters of the system at present owned Juarez, the rebel leaders believe they and operated by the said city, as shall would have the revolution well in hand and that an advance on Chihuahua call for tenders for the contracts or

ditional troops, organized in Guaymas, Hermosillo and Nogales to arrive. Par-ties arriving to-day from Cananea re-

ico to engage in a set of war manoeu-

eral Orozco, have been turned back. On Way to Join Rebels.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 7.-Private advices received here indicate that a band of 100 armed Americans forced the electors." their way across the border to-day and joined Gen. Orozco's rebels. May Use Aeroplanes

Douglas, Ariz. Feb. 7.-Six aeroplan to be used by the Mexican rebels to shell the federal forces out of impreg nable positions on mountain tops, it is reported here, will he shipped across the border within a few days. Aviator Smith, of Douglas, owner of a Curtiss biplane, is said to have received overtures from both the revolutionists and Mexican government armies. Smith is said to have tentativel agreed to accept the govern-

Fire on Red Cross Flag. Washington, Feb. 7 .- Ambassado Wilson at Mexico City, was ordered to day by Secretary Knox to investigate a charge that Mexican troops fired on a Red Cross flag during the fighting on

Saturday near Juares.

Know acted upon complaint of Representative Smith of El Paso district of Texas, to whom Dr. Bush of El Paso telegraphed that he had been fired upon while displaying the Red Cross flag on the battlefield.

FOREST FIRE LOSSES.

Approximately 700,000,000 Feet of Timbe Destroyed in Oregon and Wash-ington Last Year.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 7.-Final reports of the forest fire losses in Oregon and Washington which have just been made show ington and California legislatures.

that approximately 70,000,000 feet of tim
One purpose of his fight against the ber was destroyed in the conflagrations

In making the report officials urge that better protection be given the forests and rves be opened to stock as they lessen the danger of surface fires by eating the grasses. It is probable that the cure the desired appropriation in Oresuggestion will be carried out.

tinguish it. Two workmen engaged in ficials say that it will take over a week fighting the flames were severely before the snew is all cleared away burned and surrounding property is from the streets where there are car

WATER COMMISSIONER PREPARING A REPORT

Victory Over Troops Would Re- City Council to Hold Special Session to Discuss Recommendations

The forthcoming report of the water commissioner, James L. Raymur, on for the present his plans to capture Ju- the Sooke lake project, which will be arez, General Orozco, the rebel leader, dealt with at a special meeting of the to meet, and if poss ble, to crush General Navarro, who, with 700 men, is the total expenditure in connection with

received the assent of the ratepayers Orozco's force, it is said, is now located near Samalayuca, 25 miles from Juarez, and the chances of an attack in this section are believed to be remote, at least until Navarro has been land for watershed purposes and cause

met.

It is reported that part of Orozco's reliminary surveys to be made.

In regard to the securing of the watershed, Mr. Raymur has been busy for the past three weeks concluding arrangements with various property. If this junction is affected Orozco will then outumber Navarro by two to one and victory should be easy.

Criticism of Orozco, which was free here when the siege of Juarez was aphere when the siege of Juarez was ap-parently abandonded is to-day silent in siderable sum. In regard to the prethe face of the new turn affairs have liminary surveys which will have to be taken, and it is generally believed by undertaken before any route for the achievents of the insurgents that his pipe line can be fixed, it is assumed course has been the wisest possible that the council will be favorable to With Navarro defeated, if Orozco can securing the services of surveyors faencompass that attempt there will be miliar with the country. It is not supnc other government forces of import- posed that the actual work of construcance in Chihuahua and there is little tion in conection with the huge underdoubt that a new march on Juarez taking can be commenced before next would end in an easy-possibly a blood- spring, the whole of the present season being occupied in preparatory work,

of the city who last week fled across the work which is just engaging the at-

'2. The said water commissioner. subject to the approval of the said council, shall as soon as possible proceed to acquire the said waters and be made, such preliminary plans, sur and then on Mexico City would follow agreements mentioned in the next par Hundreds of Peasants Are DyIt is believed here to-day General work and the purchase of said lands work and the purchase of said lands. tack on Juarez. His delay is said to shall be paid at once out of moneys have been caused by the fallure of adonly of the municipal council and with out reference to the electors as herein

after mentioned. ported that insurrectos who recently shall be authorized and required to enter abandoned Surahuapa are reorganizing to movon the Yaqui river preparatory to mov-ling to General Orozgo's assistance. With a contractor or contractors for the safe, was authorized to-day by the rank are expected to arrive here this and of conveying said waters, or such provincial authorities of Anhui and upon bylaws by virtue of subsection 2 are dying daily. shall enter upon no work of conserva bankments will be built to drain the craft in commission at El Paso as soon steel interests looking to a renewal of the pounties. tion or conveying without such vote of vast network of canals.

DEATH ROLL FROM PLAGUE INCREASES

Seven Thousand Persons Have Succumbed in China and Manchuria

(Times Leased Wire.) London, Feb. 7.—Seven thousand leaths from the plague have occurred in Manchuria and China, according to a dispatch received to-day from Pekin by the Reuter Telegraph Company. Nothing has been done, according to

the dispatch, to relieve the gravity of the situation. ... To Fight Plague. Portland, Ore., Feb. 7.—Seeking quarter of a million dollars to be used to tear the black fingers of the bubont plague from China's throat Dr. Martin Edwards of the Harvard, Medical college, has just arrived in Portland. He purposes to ask the Oregon legislature for an appropriation of \$2,000, per year for five years to aid in the work.

One purpose of his fight against the plague in the Orient is to eliminate the danger of plague infection on the Pa-

The Portland chamber of comm will aid Dr. Edwards in his effort to se-

Suggestion will be carried out.

OIL ON FIRE.

CLEARING MONTREAL STREETS.

Bakersville, Cal., Feb. 7.—Gusher number 2 of the Honelulu Oil company, operating in the west side oil fields, is operating in the west side oil fields, is show from the streets. The city of-



A NIGHTMARE

AEROPLANES TO

General Hitchcock

as, possible.

their machines to the front.

perfect health, the authorities conclud-

ed he deliberately ended his life by

PIECES BY EXPLOSION

Michigan

(Times Leased Wire:)

TEN MEN BLOWN TO

potent PATROL BORDER

Six Airships Will Be Put Into-

Commission Along Mexi-

can Boundary

The horrible thing which disturbs the rest of the Minister of Agriculture

SENDING AID TO

CHINESE AUTHORITIES WILL SEND PACK TRAINS

Districts

(Times Leased Wire.) Nanking, Feb. 7.-The expenditure of

vote of such electors, and the council the Hwai river and its tributaries, em-

AUSTRALIAN NAVY.

Melbourne, Feb. 7 .- The federal minister of defence, Mr. Pearce, is applying to the Admiralty for the loan of the cruiser Psyche to be used for the purpose of training Australians for service on the federal destroyers

WOMEN TURN OUT seit's valuables had not been inclested, there was no sign that he had been drinking, and as he was in appearently.

Many Waiting When Polling Booths Opened at Seattle This Morning of the Land will sind box

se restance That mountain

Though the amount of money chang ing hands will not exceed \$150,000, the number of bets in small amounts has been phenomenal. Dilling, the recall candidate against Mayor Gill, has had a shade the better of the betting, the

8 o'clock. Many are voting on their men met instant death. The mixture It is proposed to construct a state way to do their morning's marketing. was being stirred in a big crucible. One railway from northwest to southeast The issue of civic decency as against thousand pounds exploded. Every man clear across the state and to build the the open town conditions under Mayor in this building was killed.

cse. I am counting on a plurality of Gill's managers were more confident fter a big mass meeting down town ast night and are claiming the election to-day by 5,000 to 10,000. Only a tew bets are being made on the majorities. Tomany Burns, exheavyweight ring champion, having put on \$2,500 last night against \$1,250 that billing would not win by \$,000.

REPRESENTATIONS WILL BE MADE TO GOVERNMENT

Conference Held at Montrouk but Outcome is Not Yet Known

Montreal, Feb. 7.-Much curiosity was aroused on the streets to-day when it became known that an important con-Washington, D. C., Feb. 7.—By the sor hotel on Saturday, in which week to assume charge of the border parts thereof as may be deemed proper, Klang Su. The supplies will be sent first of the week it is expected that six Finance Minister Fielding, Premier ordered by General Wood to put the Dominion government by the Canadian peace proposal.

> Just as soon as money for the pur- While none of those present would pose is provided by congress General make any announcement as to the out-Wood will ask Commodore John Barry come of the conference, the general Ryan, of the aeronautical reserve, to feeling is that the government, in view arrange with the Curtiss flyers to get of the vital importance of the steel industry to the Dominion, will meet the wishes of those who are in the best FOUND DEAD IN SNOW DRIFT. Desition to determine what is required Chicago, Feb. 7.—Suicide is marked a renewal of the bountles will be sug-

chicago, Feb. 7.—Suicide is marked on the police blotter against the name of J. Van Hasselt, 35. the son of a wealthy Dutch family, who was found dead to day in a snow drift. Yan Has-WITH STANDARD OIL

roposal to Build Railway and Pipe Line Now Before Oklahoma Legislature out triansportes 1 months of the

(Times Lessed Wire.)

Seattle, Wash, Feb. 7.—With clear, Cold weather hid a big interest in the clear of last wash, in its first recall clear of Plant at Marquette, will post a record vota.

Oklahoma, City, Okla, Feb. 7.—On-slaught on both the rallroads and the slaught on both the rallroads and the line system of the Standard Oil company in Oklahoma, it is predicted between the company in Oklahoma, it is predicted between the company in Oklahoma, it is predicted between the company in Oklahoma of both industries of the control of the within the next two years. Amendment to the state constitution

to permit the authorization of a special state election to vote on a \$15,000,000 (Times Leased Wire.)

bond issue to finance the proposition is

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 7—Gelatine now before the legislature and a posiedds being knocked down to even money enly when a lot of money was pewder, largely composed of nitro tive vote is looked for within a few stycerine, is to-day held responsible for days. All indications are that the act thrown on the market.

The women are voting early. Some the explosion yesterday of the plant of all parts of the state are pouring in on the legislators urging quick action. pipe line from Kansas to Texas, where

Only twenty minutes before the dis- connections could easily be made with GOING TO LONDON.

MANY RECOGNIZE THE BENEFITS OF RECIPROCITY

The Opposition Will, However, A. J. Balfour Says Old Country Indulge in Flag-Waving Demonstration .

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Feb. 7.—There were two the House of Lords, and A. J. party caucuses this morning on the reciprocity agreement at which there day took occasion to denounce were very different scenes enacted. The Liberals were unanimous and ed States and Canada, but the enthusiastic in their endorsement of the new trade agreement. Every member who spoke, representing every part of of the veto bill and his intent Canada, approved the agreement which the Easter recess, in order to go the House Hon. W. S. Fielding and Hon. W. Paterson secured at Washington as ation. The government's policy the best thing which has happened to discursively criticized in the Canada since confederation.

In the Conservative caucus there was reciprocity agreement, the deby marked difference of opinion. Some the address was of no special in nembers reported their constituents Lord Lansdowne intimated would benefit so materially from the House of Lords was still ready to treaty, and were so well aware of the tiate with the government on th fact, that they could not oppose it. It cessary changes in the consti was decided there should be no hard of the Upper Chamber and the tions between the two Houses. tion of the opposition members in the James Ramsay Macdonald House, but there was a general under- terday was elected chairman standing that there should be a flag waving demonstration and a declaraion that this was the first step towards be the real beginning of an nnexation by the United States.

have been continued in the Commons statement about disastrous his afternoon has, on the request of quences of the reciprocity a R. L. Borden, been postponed till as a colossal blunder. If this Thursday next.

Views of London Times. London, Feb. 7.—The Times says unity would wish to be included that Canada for years has been draw- the little Englanders. ing apart, not nearer to the United Dr. Hiller stated that having The present position is partly half of his life in the colonies due to the latter's growth in population foundly regretted that the rec and the exhaustion of its natural se- agreement was not mentioned sources, but the United States does not King's speech. He urged imm throw down the trade barriers for and drastic action before the rat nothing. The whole affair is a specimen tion of the agreement, otherwise of fiscal bargaining such as Canada future historian might describe has already accomplished in the case the negotiation of a treaty which was of France and Germany, but is more the first act in the drama of the

AMERICAN SHIPS BOYCOTED.

Steamers at Constantinople.

Constantinople, Feb. 7.—R. Rigley United States was bound to level tariff wall with Canada. He smania, temporarily head of the Ameri-was certain that the government can embassy, was to-day forced to do nothing by preference to pre-lodge a complaint with the minister of the natural tread of events. foreign affairs because of the continsteamers flying the American flag have been lying in the harbor several days, made no mention of the alien but because of discrimination, Minister opposition has given notice of Carter charged, even the passengers endment raising this question. were unable to land.

MORE FIGHTING PROBABLE. President of Honduras and Revolu-

tionary Leader Unable to Agree on Puerte Cortez, Honduras, Feb. 7 .- therefore ask the government week to assume charge of the border parts thereof as may be deemed proper, parts thereof as may Falling an agreement between Gen. the money to some useful put Bonilla, the retel leader, and President pose in Ireland. It is known ville, Texas, to the Pacific coast. First Sectia; E. M. McDonald, M.P. for Picture States, a decisive battle is entiation and is unlikely to account of section 75 of the Municipal Clauses The stench from the unburied dead of these machines to get into action tou, and President Plummer of the Do-likely to be fought at Pimiento, where this. vres of his own. The signal service will be given a thorough test.

Act, and any such contracts of agree-will be agreed by the disturbed borders bent on joining the forces of General Orozco, have been approved of by a majority the formerly of the bent approved of by a majority the formerly of the unburied dead of these machines to get into action will be into action will be into action will be that owned by Robert J. Colling the formerly of the unburied dead of these machines to get into action will be that owned by Robert J. Colling the formerly of the destruction participated. The stench from the unburied dead of these machines to get into action will be that owned by Robert J. Colling the formerly of the destruction participated. The stench from the unburied dead of these machines to get into action will be that owned by Robert J. Colling the formerly of the destruction participated. The stench from the unburied dead of these machines to get into action will be that owned by Robert J. Colling the former of the Dolling the former of the United the dead of the streets is a fearful menace to the treatment of the United the dead of the destruction participated. The streets is a fearful menace to the treatment of the United the dead of the destruction participated. The streets is a fearful menace to the treatment of the United the dead of the destruction participated. The streets is a fearful menace to the treatment of the United the dead of the destruction participated. The streets is a fearful menace to the treatment of the United the dead of have been approved of by a majority tion of last year's crops by floods from Welsh, formerly a Wright aviator, are entations that have been made to the Colba to obtain Bonilla's reply to the

POPULAR ELECTION OF U. S. SENATOR

Would Put Government at Mercy of States

Washington D. C., Feb. 7.-An attack the resolution to submit to the states a constitutional amendment for the popular election of senators was made by Senator Lodge, Republican, Massachesetts, in the senate yester-

"Reduced to its simplest form," he said, "an amendment providing for the a view of reconciling the di choice of senators by direct popular He agreed with Mr. Chamber election is merely a proposition to convert the senate into a second house of there were many matters, such the senate into a second house of details of the budget, that it representatives with two congressmenat-large to be called senators and hold folly to submit to a referndu office for six years.

His chief objection, however, was ought to be a permanent par of the section of the resolution to give machinery of government. He full control of senatorial elections to announced himself as in favo the states. He said:

cannot provide the means by which it ives, if it cannot protect its own existence. It is this very power which sidering important taxation of this joint resolution proposes to de- the next budget in the stroy so far as it relates to the election of senators. Not content with the tea, coffee, cocoa, dried fruit destruction, the resolution by direct and ilar products and the imposit affirmative words gives the whole con- general ad valorem tax of trol of the election of senators to the cent, on all manufactured go several states. It is now proposed to revenue purposes. The rumor put the United States government, so exceedingly improbable, but the far as the election of senators is con- asserts that efforts are being cerned, at the mercy of the states. It ascertain how the country wou proposed to take from the United ceive such a proposal. States any power to protect its own citizens in the exercise of their rights, turned their aid secisties into ward less have been recovered.

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BRITISH MEMBERS

PREMIER ASQUITH REPLIES TO OPPOSITION

> Has Turned Deaf Far to Canada

London, 1eb. 7 .- Lord Lansdon in the House of Commons, th tive leaders of the opposition ciprocity agreement between t the legislative ship under wa Premier Asquith gave forma Houses, but outside of reference

Labor party in the Commons. understanding between oursel The reciprocity debate which was to the colonies. He denounced E statement of a big Englander, ed, he personally in the interests empire and for goodwill and na

ing of the British Empire.

The prime minister, in a gene ply to the oposition speeches, said the present it would be wise to assengers Unable to Land From hold criticism of the reciprocity ment. It was as certain as the of the sun that sooner or late

It is experted the debate on the second over interest. As the speech from the

The Irish party at a prolonge ng, adopted a resolution to that while approving the p the payment of the members House of Commons, they desi measure excluded until Hom on voluntary contributions Asquith is opposed to any such

Blames British Politicians A. J. Balfour, speaking at the ist dinner last night, said: "Ti am disposed to blame, the do blame are the British po who decade after decade turn ear to their Canadian brethren dians had not merely preached ence but had practiced it. We it and profited by it but gave in return save an empty exres good will. It is what has been prophesied. The fault does not the Canadian statesmen; it Westminster. However, while th life there is hope. The party in ada maintaining the old policy is Senator Lodge Says the Plan strong. Our primary duty is to those agreeing with us on either of the Atlantic know that faith wavering and unchanged, and rot mean to abandon

F. E Smith, following Mr. stated that none could blame adians, who had turned to wiser than ourselves, whose I were more courteous.

Imperial Preference Mr. Balfour speaking at a meeting, announed he had been ference with Austin Chamberla which have arisen over the ref he considered that the ref perial preference, which would "No agreement can hope to live if it some taxation on imported foo The Morning Post gives cur a rumor that the government

CLEARING LINES.

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Fred Davey Was

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> take his chances. here, and if they steps to have the bear photographs Till about six whole of the wor with and Mr. assisting. There claiming exempt being merchants. new men enter, i empt—most of sons. In 1910 ther entering, 180 of w Newberry has bee Referring to th arrival, October he was advised take charge of went to the boat he knew only 1 however, were agreed that the India should be

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Mr. McCrossan: uncle of Yip Ting nterpreter. In the cases of ere representing